TOWN OF CECILTON

Mayor and Council Work and Regular Session Meeting Tuesday, January 18, 2022

The Mayor and Council held a Work and Regular Session Meeting in Town Hall on Tuesday, January 18, 2022. The following were in attendance:

Michael Cooper, Mayor

Craig DeVary, Member

Danielle Zack, Member

Jeffrey West, Member

All in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

REVIEW AND ACT:

December 20, 2021 Mayor and Council Work and Regular Session Meeting Minutes:

Member Zack motioned to accept the Monday, December 20, 2021 Work and Regular Session Meeting Minutes as written. Member DeVary seconded the motion. Motion carried.

December Final Financials:

December Final Financials and Account Balances were reviewed. Member DeVary motioned to accept the December Final Financials and Account Balances as written. Member Zack seconded the motion. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

Cecilton Activity Report: Deputy Walmsley was present to review the report. Discussion of the importance of deputies checking in when they have signed up for extra duty. This is how Administrator Cooper can communicate issues that are occurring in Town. Deputy Walmsley will email the schedule to Administrator Cooper so she keep track of who is checking in with her at each shift.

WTTP and Water Supply Report: No report was received.

OLD BUSINESS:

Red Sand Project: Administrator Cooper reviewed the Red Sand Project. Erica Fielder will be coming on Monday, January 24th at 4:00 pm to educate about human trafficking and red sand to put in the sidewalk cracks to identify we oppose human trafficking.

Life of Chesapeake Exhibit: Tuesday, February 1st at 6:30 pm. This is an opportunity to come for light appetizers and look at works by a local author, decoy carver, and photographers that depict life on the eastern shore.

Mayor Cooper, Administrator Cooper, and Hester Wise met with Frank Hodgetts, Home Partnership, about Cecilton Village Senior Housing Phase II. We are continuing to try to work on that project. Mayor and Administrator will continue to share updates as they get them.

Public Comments: None

Good of the Order:

Prom Donation Request: Mayor and Council received a request of a monetary donation towards the Bohemia Manor High School 2022 Prom. Discussion of donation in the past. Member Zack motioned to match the donation from the previous year. Member DeVary seconded the motion. Motion carried. Administrator Cooper is going to call the Town of Chesapeake City and ask them to match our donation.

Little League Challenger Division: Letter from Little League Challenger Division for donation to support players. Member Zack made a motion to make a donation of \$200 to support 5 players. Member West seconded the motion. Motion carried.

If I Were a Mayor Contest: Information was presented for the "If I Were a Mayor Essay Contest". It is online now, no mail in forms. It is hosted by MML and for all the elementary schools (4th grade students) in Maryland. Member Zack is going to contact/present it to the school.

Member DeVary expressed concerns about trash and recycling. Cannot be put out for bid until June 2023, when our contract is up. Continued discussion of issues of trash not getting picked up.

Cecilton Senior Village Resident was present. Administrator Cooper asked if residents were happy there and are there anything of a concern/need. She replied that she did not know of anyone who is displeased there. She likes it. One thing she mentioned that it would be nice to have their own community room. Activities on the premises would be nice for those who do not get out and/or drive. Phase II could possibly have a community building. Another thing that would be nice to have would be benches on the four corners for residents to rest and visit on. Discussion of getting funding for Phase II.

Mayor Cooper will be a caller at CVFC Bingo Night in March.

Michael Cooper

Mayor

Respectfully submitted,

Teresa Ouinn